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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending April 21, 2001

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There was an increase in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending April 21 according to the Department of Workforce Development.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$11,146,719
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$208,755,653
Trust fund balance	\$1,427,334,871

A total of 60,129 unemploy-

ment claims were filed during the week. This was up 3,532 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 28,616 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 7,252 an increase of 1,229 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported at one office furniture plant in the state during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 52,272. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

Unemployment Insurance Trends

